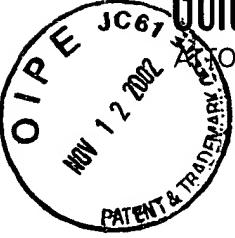




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Peptides and Vaccine Compositions**  
Inventors: **FIKES et al.**  
Our Ref: **2060.0150002/EKS/HCC**

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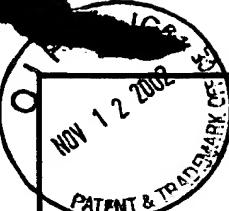


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